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Family Twilight Hike in the Santa Ana Mountains

Corona, CA. October 3, 2010 - The Santa Ana Mountains Natural History Association and the Trabuco Ranger District of the Cleveland National Forest is offering a Family Twilight Hike into the Santa Ana Mountains. This hike is a wonderful way for the whole family to regain its personal touch with nature.

Admission is free, but donations to the Tucker Wildlife Sanctuary are gratefully accepted by to help feed the birds.

When: Friday evening, October 08, 2010. Meet at 5:30p.m on the trail; expected completion is about 7:30p.m.

Location: Tucker Wildlife Sanctuary, 29322 Modjeska Canyon Road, Modjeska Canyon, Orange County, CA.

Directions: Watch for the sign "Wildlife Sanctuary" on the right side of Santiago Canyon Road as you approach Modjeska Canyon Road. Turn east on Modjeska Canyon Road, and drive through the olive tree grove. Cross a small bridge and make a left turn around the large oak tree at the "T" intersection in the road. Continue on Modjeska Canyon Road past the fire station to the end of the public road where you will find the sanctuary on the left side. Parking is on the street, or in the gravel lot just beyond the sanctuary.

What to bring: Comfortable footwear (no sandals), water, snacks, dress for cool weather, trekking poles, binoculars, camera, flash lights, and field guides.

Safety: Small children must stay with adults throughout the hike.

Level of difficulty: Easy to moderate. The trek will be up-hill on the way in, and downhill on the way out. We will walk, talk, and stop often to discuss items of interest along the route.

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